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BRATTLEBORO LOCAL.

The Woman's Relief Corps will have a picnic at Island Park next Wednesday. All members are invited to come and bring a sufficient supply of food.

The annual water sports are being held at Spofford lake today. The first regatta band has gone to Pine Grove Springs to play through the day and evening.

Miss Margaret Barber gave a linen shower yesterday afternoon at her home on High street, for Miss Marjorie Crosby. There were about twenty young ladies present. Dainty refreshments were served.

Two boys who caught a large string of horn pouts off the float near the Whetstone brook arch one night this week also tried a novel method successfully in catching eels. They lowered to the bottom of the river a bag containing pieces of raw meat. When they had finished catching pouts, they pulled up the bag and took from it six eels, the largest nearly three feet long.

George Young, son of Chauncey L. Young of 108 Elliot street, fell from a box car in the rear of the American building yesterday afternoon and broke his left leg above the ankle. He was taken to Memorial hospital where Dr. Charles R. Aldrich reduced the fracture. The lad, with others, was waiting for The Reformer to be published and was playing on the car when the accident happened.

Deputy Fish and Game Warden Paul R. Locke, on a recent visit to Sunset lake, found in the possession of one of the cottagers a number of short length black bass which had been caught by the young son of a Brattleboro man. On account of the age of the offender the officer made no arrest but warned the boy's mother that any further violation of the statute would be dealt with in the usual way. Mr. Locke has reason to believe that bass less than 10 inches are frequently caught and kept by Sunset lake cottagers.

Legal Notices.

ESTATE OF LYMAN J. HUNTLEY
STATE OF VERMONT.

The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro, ss.
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To all persons interested in the estate of Lyman J. Huntley, late of Brattleboro in said District, deceased.
Whereas, said Court has assigned the 2nd day of September, 1913, next, for examining and allowing the account of the executor of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Brattleboro Reformer, a newspaper published at Brattleboro in said District.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear at the Probate Office in Brattleboro in said District, on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right to heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.
Given Under My Hand, this 15th day of August, 1913.
142-8-151 A. F. SCHWENK, Judge.

ESTATE OF EDITH S. GROUT
STATE OF VERMONT.

The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Edith S. GROUT, late of Wilmington in said District, deceased.
Whereas, said Court has assigned the 2nd day of September, 1913, next, for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Brattleboro Reformer, a newspaper published at Brattleboro in said District.

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BRATTLEBORO LOCAL.

Health Officer Dr. Henry Tucker reports that there has not been a case of contagious disease reported to him during the last week.

Molly C. Huntington, a resident of Brattleboro for the last six years, has entered suit for divorce against her husband, Edgar Huntington of Middlebury, Mass., on the grounds of desertion and refusal to support. The papers are from the office of E. W. Gibson.

Rev. A. G. Van Elden, one of the clergy of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin in New York city, will have charge of the services in St. Michael's Episcopal church tomorrow. Holy communion will be observed at 7.30 and 10.30 in the morning.

Miss Margaret O'Brien, 18, died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Memorial hospital, of diabetes. She was born at Bellows Falls and had recently been employed at Linden Lodge. The body was taken to North Walpole last night on the late train.

Nearly all the members of the Brattleboro Boat club and many of their friends are planning to participate in the run to Comodore Crosby's cottage which will start from the bridge at 10 a. m. tomorrow. The annual meeting of the organization will take place upon arrival, to be followed by a luncheon and boat races in the afternoon.

Road Commissioner Henry R. Brown says that he will have the west side of Main street from the town building to the fountain practically completed by tonight and that he will do it for less than the Gibbons Contracting company, he had hired to do the work, and then discharged because of their failure to do it within a reasonable time, would have done it.

William Murphy was fined \$13.22 yesterday afternoon for having in his possession a keg of ale for unlawful purposes. Murphy and William McLaughlin were each fined for intoxication yesterday morning by Judge Frank E. Barber in municipal court but the disposition of the intoxicant was not determined until late yesterday afternoon when it was "spilled."

By Deane Oliver, Aaron Wilson and Clark C. M. Miller, the case against Peter Humphrey, who was charged with furnishing liquor and which was continued to this morning, was not passed at the request of Town Grand Juror O. B. Hughes, the prosecuting officer. Attorney W. D. Smith appeared for the defendant.

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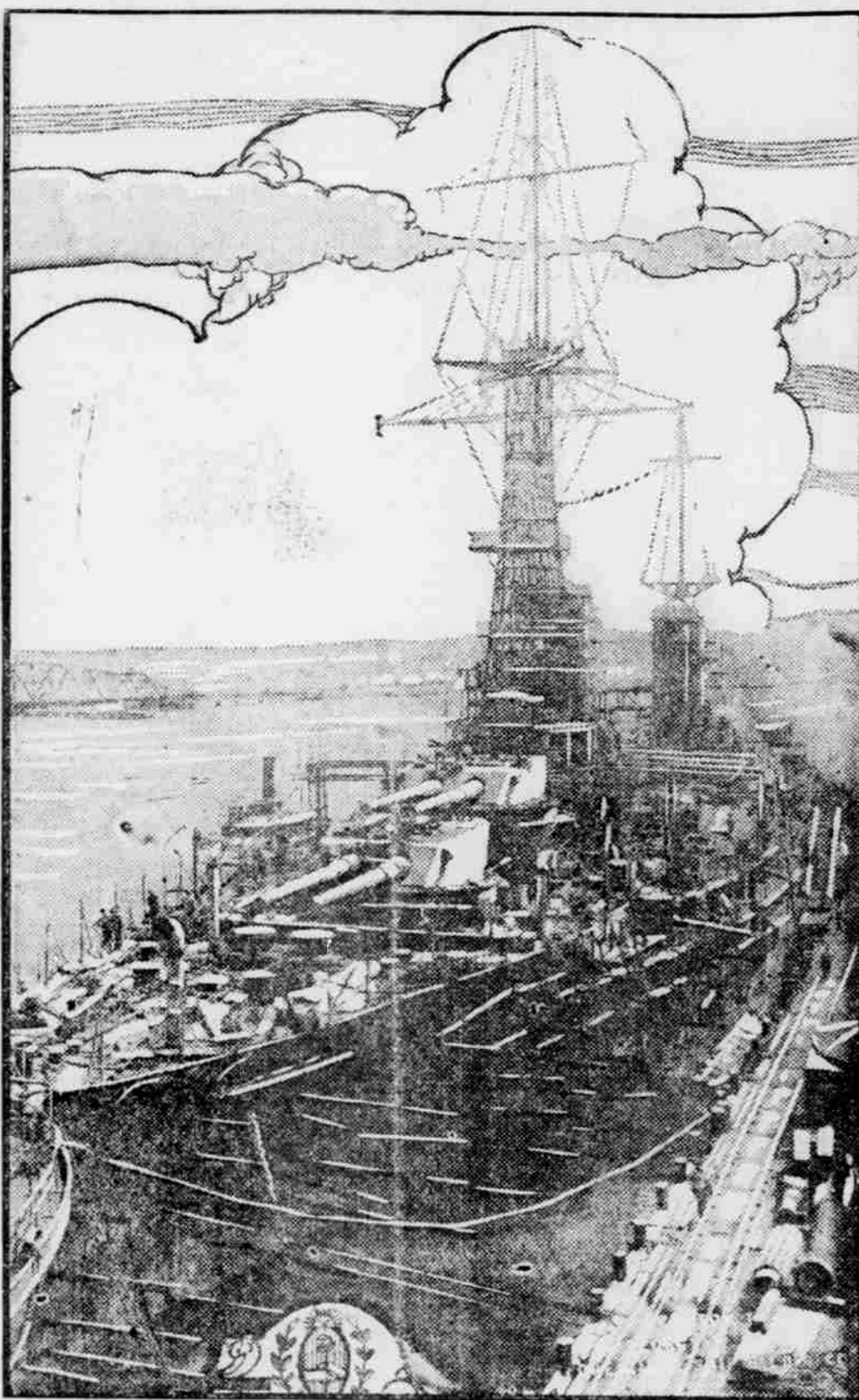
Huge Argentine Dreadnought
Biggest Battleship In World

Photo by American Press Association.

THIS is the biggest battleship in the world. It's the Argentine Dreadnought Moreno Rivadavia. She was snapped at Quincy, Mass., where she was launched, Aug. 28, 1911. Her sponsor was Senora de Naon, wife of the Argentine minister to the United States. The displacement of the Rivadavia is 27,500 tons, and she has twelve twelve-inch guns, all of which can be fired at one broadside. The dimensions of the Dreadnought are: Length, 577.5 feet; width, 96 feet. She was scheduled to start on her trial trip over the government course at Rockland, Me., Aug. 12. A number of United States officers will be aboard her.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. T. Rudden of Bellows Falls is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Akley went to Block Island to stay a week or 10 days.

Mrs. Lansing will take a party to Deerfield this afternoon to attend the pageant.

Raymond Frost of Cleveland, O., is the guest of Charles H. Pratt on Oak street.

Miss Lizzie Stevens will go Monday to her home in Winchester for a vacation of two weeks.

O. C. Gould is in Woonsocket, R. I., on business for the Dunham Brothers company.

Miss Bertha Polleri is taking a two weeks' vacation from her work at the Estey Organ company.

Miss Samuel Hudson and daughter, Miss Opal Hudson, went Thursday to Dover to stay a few days.

Miss Nettie Fay of Somerville, Mass., is spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Banks.

Miss Phoebe Clark and Miss May Cook will go Monday to Chesterfield to stay a week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barber returned yesterday afternoon from a trip to Boston, Gloucester and Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Simonds and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Crane attended the Old Deerfield pageant last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pier and children went last night to Rawsonville to attend the old home day gathering.

Miss Margaret Moran of the Dunham Brothers office force will take a week's vacation, beginning Monday.

Miss Nellie Redding leaves this afternoon for her home in Hinsdale, where she will spend part of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Faussey of West Springfield, who have been spending two weeks at Linden Lodge, returned to their home today.

Miss Minnie and Miss Lydia Williams of Greenfield, Ind., came today to visit Mrs. H. K. Chamberlain and Mrs. Maverette Fisher.

Miss Agnes Doyle is taking a two weeks' vacation. She will go next week to visit Mrs. Arthur Wilson in Greenfield.

Miss Abbie Palmer of Grafton came this week to visit in the home of her brother, Charles H. Palmer, until about Sept. 1, when she will go to her work as teacher in the Mystic Oral school, Mystic, Conn.

Mrs. Arvine Pike left today for Springfield, Mass., to join her daughter, Miss Bertha Pike. Together they will spend 10 days in Bridgeport, Port Townsend and Savin Rock.

Carl Leitsinger will return to Boston tomorrow. Since returning from music with the band, Mr. Leitsinger has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Leitsinger, on Green street.

Mrs. H. E. Bascom will leave Monday morning for the seashore. She will go to New York before returning. Miss Rhoda Berry came from Boston yesterday to take charge of the business while Mrs. Bascom is away.

PERSONAL.

John McCarty is visiting Carl Smith in Greenfield a few days.

Miss Marguerite Hopkins went to Spofford lake today to spend two weeks.

B. S. Michelman returned this morning from a trip to Old Orchard, Revere and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bogle and child of White River Junction are visiting in town.

Miss Lucretia Hubbard of Ascutneyville is visiting her sister, Miss Gertrude Hubbard on Cedar street.

Miss Florence Berg of Greenfield will come this afternoon to spend Sunday with her sister, Miss Josephine Berg.

Miss Margaret Barber left this morning for Worcester and Boston where she will visit for two weeks.

Miss Ruth Callahan of New York city is a week-end guest of Miss Florence Converse on High street. Miss Callahan will go to her home in Charlestown Monday to spend one time.

Mrs. M. Herbert and daughter, Alida, and niece, Miss Bertha Forner of Manchester, N. H., who have been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pelier's on Elliot street, returned to their home today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hildreth and daughters, Florence, Elizabeth and Charlotte will leave tomorrow for an automobile trip to Cape Cod. They will be away about a week. E. Byrne Hackett and family of New Haven, Conn., will occupy the Hildreth cottage on Ames hill while Mr. Hildreth's family are away.

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TOWNSHEND.

George Dunham was in Cambridgeport last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fuller were in Chester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Prentiss recently visited in Windham.

Miss Winnie M. Packard spent Friday with friends in Jamaica.

Courtland Lewis of Brattleboro spent the week-end with his parents.

Verne Crosier of Bellows Falls is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Alton Holden.

Mrs. Leon Bemis of Jamaica visited Miss Winnie M. Packard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carr of Athens recently visited at Windsor Whitney's.

Oliver Lawrence and daughter, Della, of Grafton were at William Perry's Friday.

Mrs. J. O. Follette, Mrs. Mattie Turner and Miss Ethel Follette went to Weston Tuesday.

Mrs. Guy Nelson and son of Springfield, Mass., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Isaac Appleby.

Miss Georgianna McKean has returned from a visit in Fall River, Mass., where she formerly lived.

Rockwell Davis left Friday to spend the week-end with relatives in Whitingham and Elm Grove.

Mrs. Fred D. Osgood of Pittsburgh is at the home of her husband's parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Osgood.

Mrs. Brainard, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Marsh, has returned to her home in East Putney.

George Dunham and son, Edward Dunham, went last week to visit a cousin, Mrs. Lora Bellows, in Langdon, N. H.

Bernard R. Phillips returned to his work in Chester, Mass., after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Phillips.

Rev. L. H. Curtis of Stafford, Conn., a former pastor of the Baptist church, is spending a few days at the home of R. D. Phillips.

Prof. and Mrs. Angelo Hall and three children returned this week to their home in Annapolis, Md., after spending the summer at H. J. Heath's.

Mrs. Harry Pierce, after spending two weeks with relatives in town, left Friday for Brattleboro, where she will visit before returning to her home in Athol.

Asa Greenwood went to Bellows Falls the first of the week with his grand son, George Greenwood, to meet the latter's father, Robert Greenwood of Ludlow.

There will be an unusually interesting reunion of the former teachers and students of Leland and Gray seminary August 27 and 28. The plans are not fully completed as yet but some of the features will be a concert on the evening of the 27th, a general reunion and speeches by C. C. Pitts of Brattleboro and other noted alumni at 1.30 on the 28th, and a reception in the evening. It is hoped that everyone interested will do his part in helping to make the reunion a success.

A Malodorous Dainty.

Things that are very good to eat usually have an appetizing smell but there is one remarkable exception—the durian, which is thus described by O. W. Barrett in the Philippine Agricultural Review:

The durian has an odor that can be compared only to a mixture of old cheese and onions, flavored with turpentine; but those who eat it love it so dearly that the smell does not bother them. The naturalist Wallace says that "to eat durians is a new sensation, worth a voyage to the East to experience." Over three centuries ago, Linnaeus, the Dutch voyager, declared that it surpasses in flavor "all the other fruits of the world."

The fruit weighs about five pounds, nearly one-third of which is edible pulp and about one-sixth of which is edible seeds; the sugar content is over twelve per cent, and it contains the same amount of starch besides. The tree is magnificent and stately, and grows usually in open country, in the edges of the forests, round native villages, and in clearings.

It can hardly be called a cultivated tree; at least, it is hardly ever grown in orchards, although on the other hand it could not hold its own in the real wild. Through Malaysia it is considered the most delicious fruit. Europeans, of course, generally revolt at the unpleasant odor, a fair proportion, however, of the foreign residents soon grow to relish the durian. Although it would not be wise, perhaps, for one unaccustomed to the fruit to eat a large quantity of the pulp at one sitting, there is apparently no substance in it that would cause indigestion or any other result than a rather unpleasant breath for a few hours after eating.

The chemical body which is responsible for the very pronounced odor is probably one of the sulphur compounds with some base perhaps similar to that of butyric acid.

Harvesting the durian is not unattended with danger, for soon after it becomes mature the heavy fruit falls, and occasionally kills or severely injures the unlucky individual who happens to be underneath.

Choir Couldn't See It.

The choir of a village church had sung an anthem in fine style, with all its might and strength, till the very roof of the old church seemed to vibrate with tremendous uproar. At the close of the anthem the lesson for the day was begun. "And after the uproar was ceased," the parson read out, in a clear and sonorous voice. "The whole congregation immediately tittered audibly, but the choir could not understand the joke."

Won Papa's Dollar.

Martha's school report card had very low marks. Her father promised her a dollar if she got a hundred in anything. Shortly after that she fell sick. When the doctor had taken her temperature the mother asked him what the temperature was. "A hundred and four," was the reply. "Mother," cried Martha, "I have won the dollar from papa. I've got over a hundred."

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